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Gaimard in D'Urville, p. 307. D'Urville, pp. 113, 136, 176, 193, 197. Coote, p. 157. Joest, Tagebuch, p. 81. According to D'Urville, pp. 322 and 362, a native of Uea lived on Tikopia. According to Thilenius, Ethnograph. Ergebnisse aus Melanesien [Ethnographic Results from Melanesia], I, p. 27, and Globus, LXXXI, p. 135, Ndeni also trades with some of the New Hebrides; despite Codrington, did this come about through European influence?

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between Vanikoro and Tikopia took place, at least among the chiefs' families. A number of Vanikorese understood the Polynesian idioms. At times Vanikoro stood in a dependent relationship with Tikopia, a situation whose aftereffects may have

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included the worship on Vanikoro of an atua[1] from Tikopia in D'Urville's day (2). Chiefly, however, traffic between the in-

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2. Dillon, p. 167. D'Urville, pp. 155, 217; on Vanikoro Gaimard observed a dance imported from Tikopia (in D'Urville, p. 333) and reports, p. 342, that the language of Utupua and Ndeni was known. Cf. also Lesson in Revue d'Anthropologie, V, pp. 257 ff.

dividual islands is based on commercial interests: Vanikoro obtained tapa and fine mats from Tikopia, whereas Tikopia obtained mother-of-pearl and finished articles, such as necklaces made from cowrie-like shells (?) and bows and arrows, from Vanikoro (3).

3. Dillon, p. 171.

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For the northern islands as far as Sikaiana, Vanikoro was the chief export point for wood for boat-building, because of its forests (4).

1 [atua = supernatural beings or gods--Analyst]

4. Dalrymple, p. 153.